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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK*
(POUNDS)

	: FREIGHT	: TRUCK : DEALERS AT : TERMINAL	: TRUCK & EXPRESS : (DIRECT : RECEIVERS)	: TRUCK : LONG ISLAND : DUCKS	: TOTAL : RAIL & TRUCK
DEC. 1-1943	: 117,292	: 305,203	: 340,905	: 16,020	: 779,420
SO FAR THIS WEEK	: 379,679	: 752,497	: 926,755	: 20,540	: 2,079,471
SO FAR LAST WEEK	: 837,173	: 1,051,756	: 893,221	: 66,033	: 2,848,183

*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS WEIGHMASTER REPORTS.

NEW YORK: FREIGHT RECEIPTS CONTINUED LIGHT WITH ONLY 4 CARS REPORTED ON TRACK PLUS 1 DUE LATE. FOWL MET AN ACTIVE REQUEST UNDER LIMITED SUPPLIES. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS MOVED WELL. CAR CHICKENS IN MOST INSTANCES WERE FORCED OUT WITH FOWL. MARKET FIRM FOR FOWL, VERY STEADY FOR MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS AND IRREGULAR FOR CHICKENS. COLORED FOWL A MOSTLY 33, SOME SALES POSSIBLY HIGHER, LEGHORN FOWL A 28½, ROCK CHICKENS A 32, COLORED CHICKENS A 32, LEGHORN CHICKENS A UNSOLD, DUCKS A 28½, GESE A 29½-32, YOUNG TURKEYS A 39½-42, ROOSTERS A 24½, GUINEA HENS A 1.10 PER PAIR. TRUCK RECEIPTS MODERATE WITH HEAVY CARRYOVERS. FOWL WERE IN SCARCE SUPPLY. THE DEMAND WAS ACTIVE ON FOWL, YEARLINGS AND LARGE PULLETS BUT VERY SLOW ON SPRINGS. CONCESSIONS WERE OFFERED ESPECIALLY ON CARRIED STOCK OF SPRINGS IN AN EFFORT TO REDUCE HEAVY ACCUMULATIONS. MARKET HELD FIRM FOR FOWL, YEARLINGS AND PULLETS, DULL AND WEAK FOR SPRINGS. OTHER ITEMS HELD UNCHANGED AT PREVAILING LEVELS. FOLLOWING ARE WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES AS REPORTED BY THE TRADE ON THIS MORNINGS TRUCK AND EXPRESS MARKET: COLORED FOWL A 35-36; YEARLINGS A 36-38; LEGHORN FOWL A 28½-31, MOSTLY 30-31; B 27-28 CARRIED 27; BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS-ROCKS A 32, A FEW LOW 30; WHITE ROCKS A SMALL 28-30; CROSSES A MOSTLY 32, CARRIED 30-31, HIGH 32; REDS A 30-32, B SMALL 27-28; LEGHORNS A 27-28, B 25-26; COLORED A 29, B CARRIED 26; LARGE PULLETS RANGED FROM 38-42 ACCORDING TO SIZE, QUALITY AND BREED CLASSIFICATION; SMALL 34-36, CARRIED LOWER; ROOSTERS B CARRIED 21; SQUABS AND PIGEONS A 35-40, A FEW PICKOUTS HIGHER; RABBITS A MOSTLY 30, A FEW POOR TO ORDINARY LOW 25. STATE OF ORIGIN AND NUMBER OF CARS ON TRACK AS FOLLOWS: 2 ILLINOIS, 1 MISSOURI, 1 TENNESSEE, PLUS 1 UNKNOWN DUE. THE 27 TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON TODAY INCLUDED: 1 CONN. CROSS, 11½ DEL. CROSS, 1/2 N.J. CROSS, 1 MD. CROSS, 1/4 MASS. CROSS, 1 N.Y. CROSS FEW ROCKS AND BLACK PULLETS, 1½ DEL. ROCKS, 1/2 N.Y. ROCKS, 1/2 N.Y. WHITE ROCKS, 1/4 MASS. ROCKS FEW BLACK PULLETS, 1/4 MASS. RED, 1 N.Y. RED, 1½ PA. RED, 1/2 N.Y. MIXED PULLETS, 1/4 PA. LEGHORN SPRINGS AND RED PULLETS, 2 N.Y. MIXED SPRINGS, FEW ROCKS, RED AND BLACK PULLETS, TOTAL 23½ SPRINGS; 1/2 N.J. LEGHORNS, 1½ N.Y. LEGHORNS, FEW COLORED, 1/4 PA. LEGHORN FEW COLORED, 1 DEL. RED, 1/4 MASS. RED, TOTAL 3½ FOWL. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 78,657 POUNDS. APPROXIMATELY 414 LONG COOPS CONSISTING MOSTLY OF CROSS AND MIXED SPRINGS WERE CARRIED FROM YESTERDAYS MARKET.

BOSTON: MARKET CONTINUES VERY FIRM ON FOWL WITH SUPPLIES SHORT AND A VERY GOOD DEMAND. CHICKENS RULED WEAK WITH SUPPLIES OF ALL SIZES IN EXCESS OF REQUIREMENTS. OUTLETS FOR DRESSED CHICKENS WERE LIMITED. THERE WAS SOME JOBBING AND WHOLESALE AT CONCESSIONS. PRICES ON ALL FOWL 27-28½.

PHILADELPHIA: MARKET STEADY TO FIRM ON GRADE A FOWL ABOVE 4 LBS. ROASTERS AND TURKEYS HOWEVER, FRYERS AND BROILERS DEFINITELY WEAK AND DIFFICULT TO MOVE GENERALLY EXCEPT ON TIE-IN SALES WITH FOWL AND ROASTER SIZES. DEALERS ANTICIPATE CONTINUANCE OF WEAKNESS IN THE FRYER AND BROILER MARKET DUE TO MEAT POINT REDUCTION ON BEEF UNLESS SHIPPERS HOLD MORE SUPPLIES AT FARMS UNTIL HEAVIER WEIGHTS ARE ATTAINED. WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES ON GRADE A QUALITY: FOWL COLORED 27½-28½, LEGHORNS LARGE 26-28, SMALL 23-25, ROASTERS 31½-32, FRYERS 28-31½, BROILERS 25-29, FEW 30, OLD ROOSTERS 21-23, DUCKS, PEKIN 28, MUSCOVY 25-27, FEW YOUNG TURKEYS, UNDER 18 LBS. 39-39½. LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS DECEMBER 1, 1943 211,209 LBS BY TRUCK, 11,886 LBS. BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 223,095 LBS. CORRESPONDING DAY LAST WEEK: 159,351 LBS. BY TRUCK, 16,266 LBS BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 175,617 LBS. (INCLUDED POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTERMARKET)

CHICAGO: TRADE IN LIVE POULTRY SOMEWHAT IRREGULAR. FOWL IN GOOD POSITION WITH HEAVY HENS WANTED. CHICKENS WERE SLOW PARTICULARLY THE HEAVY STOCK. NOT MANY LIGHTWEIGHTS NOTED ON THE MARKET. A FEW MORE DUCKS AND GESE ARE SEEN BUT SUPPLY NOT BURDENSOME. VERY FEW LIVE TURKEYS. PAYING PRICES FOR GRADE A FOB THE MARKET FOWL 23½-25, LEGHORN FOWL 21½-23, BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS, ROCKS 27½-29, MIXED BREEDS 26½-27½, LEGHORN BROILERS AND FRYERS 20½-21½, OLD ROOSTERS 17½-19, FARM DUCKS 24½-25½, GESE 24½-26, SOME OF THE HEAVIER LEGHORN CHICKENS BEING TAKEN IN AS ROOSTERS OR DISCOUNTED WERE ESPECIALLY COARSE. RECEIPTS TODAY CONSISTED OF 49 TRUCKS WITH 2360 COOPS AND 5 CARS BY RAIL UP THROUGH EARLY AFTERNOON. TOTAL ARRIVALS WEDNESDAY 307,227 LBS.

WASHINGTON: MARKET FIRM. RECEIPTS LIBERAL. PRICES PAID NET FOB WASHINGTON (PERMITTED TRANSPORTATION CHARGES INCLUDED ACCORDING TO MILEAGE) BROILERS AND FRYERS 28½-30, FOWL 26½-28, ROOSTERS 18-20.

BALTIMORE: POULTRY PRICES AND CONDITIONS UNCHANGED EXCEPT FANCY COLORED FOWL LIGHT, MARKET FIRM.

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